Congress Can Repeal Treaty Benator Swanson said that the Su-

gress could repeal any provision of Then Congress may violate the saty," interrupted Senator Kellogg. "Congress can sanul the treaty," said

Mr. Swanson.
"Congress may violate the treaty by
denouncing it," said Mr. Kellogg, "but
has not the Supreme Court time and
time again held that the right of foreign citizens to come to this country, to own real estate, to engage in business, to in-herit real estate, may be legally fixed by

"The Supreme Court has held in the case, of the Chinese exclusion treaty." said Senator Swanson, "that you could et make a covenant binding upon Con grees with reference to the question of

Court this," asked Mr. Kellogg, "that a treaty is a supreme law of the land un-til set aside by act of Congress?" "That is true," said Mr. Swanson.

That is true," said Mr. Swanson.
Then a treaty would be valid which
provided that foreign citizens may come
to this country until Congress shall set
aside the treaty or violate it?" said Mr.

Kellogs.

"If it should contain such a provision and Congress did not want them to come in Congress could annul the

treaty," said Mr. Swanson. treaty," said Mr. Swanson.
"Suppose the council in a dispute be-tween the United States and Japan, for illustration," said Mr. Kellogg, "should hold it was not a domestic question pure and simple but it was an international question in which Japan was interested, what would be the remedy of the United

"It would be absolutely a domesti estion and so held by every nation, said Senator Swangon.
"Suppose the council should hold the contrary?" persisted Mr. Kellogg.

Doubts Perpetuation of Fraud.

"The council could not perpetrate an absolute fraud," said Mr. Swanson. "The Senator knows well it is an absolute fraud in a court to make a fraudulent decision, that clearly such a decision is not binding. If the contention that the Old World has held up to this time that immigration, though immigration is not named in the covenant, is a sollely comestic question, then I have no doubt

domestic question, then I have no doubt the council would so properly find."

"I have no doubt that immigration, the tariff laws, coastwise traffic, duties and all those things are purely domestic questions with which no foreign country should have any concern, or at lease should not interfere," said Mr. Keilogs.

Mr. Swanson said he thought those questions were absolutely excluded from consideration by the league.

"Well," said Senator Keilogg, "If that is the opinion of the Senator then there is no objection to the Senate so stating, is there?"

"I will express my opinions on the pervations when I see them," said Mr.

Taking up Article N., Senator Kellogg n that the recommendations of the reuncil as to the means of carrying out Article X, are to be merely advisory and are not to be binding upon this country. "They are advisory and binding on e conscience and fair dealing and hon-ty of this country," replied Mr. Swair-

"But are they legally binding under this treaty?" persisted Mr. Kellogg.
"I do not think they are legally bind-ing," said Mr. Swanson. "There is no use of advising any one to act legally.
A Judge does not so; the law does not advise; a Judge enters a decree."

Legality of Changes in Contract Senator Pittman thep asked Senator logg: "Is the Senator of the opin-that the contract could be changed reservation as well, as by amend

"A contract cannot be changed by eservation or amendment without the consent of the other parties of the con-tract to it," said Mr. Kellogg. "If the reservations in the resolution

were adopted by the Senate in conflict with any of the terms of the treaty it would then not be a ratification of the present treaty would it?" said Senator Pittman.
"I, think the treaty would be ratified

subject to that condition, which would be accepted by each of the other countries if they saw fit to do so," said Mr.

But it would be a change of contract it were inconsistent with it?" asked

would be a change to that extent of the | wh

"If the reservation changes any of the substantial terms of the treaty," replied Mr. Kellogg, "it is a change as to this country, and of course can be objected to by any other country and must eithe directly or tacitly accepted by that country.

"In other words," said Senator Pittman. "If there is any change in any of Castle described that part of Carranza's the terms of the treaty by reservation just as well as by amendment then it is such a change of the contract that was such a change of the contract that was entered into by the negotiators that it guns without cartridges. It was dangermust go back to the other signatories ous to undertake a trip into the interpretation of the content."

Senator Kellogg said that any amendments would have to be accepted by the other parties if they changed a contrac

Would Reopen Negotiations.

"If the language of the contract is shanged," said Mr. Pittman, "it is not for the party changing it to determine its effect, but the other party to the contract has the right always to determine its effect. If we change the language of this contract by amendment or guage of this contract by amendment or reservation we may not think that the change of language constitutes any change of substance, and yet no matter what the change is the other contracting party must agree as we agree or it does not change the substance of the contract. Otherwise it is not a con-tract. In other words, there is not a reservation that we can place in this treaty that does not necessitate a re-negotiation and reconsideration of every

ontracting Power." "Does the Senator from Nevada mear to say," interjected Senator Fall (N. M.), "that if this treaty were drawn in any "that if this treaty were drawn in any shape that we choose to draw it, and changed in every line, changed in substance in every substantial provision of it, and it is then deposited by the President of the United States in Paris and acted upon by any one of the other nations, it would not be binding upon that patient?"

"This matter is of too vital importance of the choice of the union claims fifteen ships are tied up at Mobile and forty at New Orleans.

"This matter is of too vital importance to this country as well as to the rest of the world for us to have anything but a definite understanding," said Senator Pittman. "We are not going to be bound by this treaty until we know that the nations with whom we assume obligations are also bound. That is the only thing the President of the United RED CROSS MAN INDICTED.

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the right of the United States to exclude States will accept. That is the only thing the Senate of the United States has the

A bitter colloquy between Senator Hitchcock, Fall and Pittman followed Senator Fall had said that the alleged stupendous public approval of League of Nations was hardly to justified by the facts.

"I will produce statements and fig-ures to show you to just how great an extent it is approved," said Senator Hitchcock, "And I will promise you extent it is approved," said Senator Hitchcock, "And I will promise you that the figures will tower above any adverse figures that you can produce." "Yes," retorted Senator Fall; "and when I address the Senate I intend to read into the Record a speech delivered by the Senator from Nebraska in 1912 in which he charged that the whole pacifist movement had its genesis in the expenditures for propagands by the Car-

expenditures for propaganda by the Car-negre Peace Foundation."
"You do that," shouted Mr. Hitchcock,
"and I will show you that the Carnegie Peace Foundation, far from approving of this League of Nations, is withhole

bounds.
"I cannot say that I think, in view of the size of the Senator's constituency, that he can be wholly justified in this assertion that the whole people are behind the league," raid Senator Fall. "In point of fact, I would rather take the judgment of the Senator from New York on such rolling."

MEXICO IS AVENGING SLAYING BY BANDITS

Ambassador Says Two-thirds of Revenues Are Used in Restoring Order.

WASHINGTON, July 14 .- Murderers of a number of American citizens in Mexico have been apprehended and executed by the Mexican Government, which, through expenditure of two-thirds of the republic's revenues in the work of pacification, s slowly restoring order, it was said to-day by Ygnacio Bonillas, Mexican Ambassador to the United States, who has just returned to Washington after month's visit in Mexico city

The statement by the Ambassador was the first announcement by any Mexican official of authority that any of the perpetrators of the murders of American citizens, which have been the subject of numerous representations to the Car-ranga Government, had been captured and dealt with.

The Ambassador added that bandits and rebels in all parts of the country were laying down their arms and seturnernment was distributing trainloads of agricultural implements

Mexico's first duty, the Ambassador asserted, was to put down insurrections. and for that reason large sums of money were being spent in pacification. This work, he said, was slow, largely because the Government could not obtain sufficient arms and ammunition. He an-nounced that he would request the United States Government to permit the importation of more munitions, to be used in wiping out the rebels and ban-dits and in protecting the lives of Na-tissais and foreigners alike. When the pacification of Mexico had been accom-plished, he said, the revenue now de-voted to this end would be used toward naving off the interest on the foreign paying off the interest on the foreign

pudlate her debts," he said. "She should ot be expected now to comply with her international obligations when her first duty is the pacification of the country. Mexico has no fear at all of any unjust aggressions from its neighbors. she is making to setting her house in

Regarding the exclusion of Mexico from "That would depend on what the the League of Nations, he said, the Mex-servation was," said Mr. Kellogg. ican people felt they had been unjustly "I say if the reservation were inconsistent with any term of the treaty it

Mexico hopes, he said, the Mexico hopes, he said, the time will co

CARRANZISTAS IN POOR SHAPE. Some Troops Without Cartridges Say Returning Travellers.

from Vera Crus by the Ward liner Morro for because of the exemption of bandits

from arrest.
Even at Vera Cruz it' was advisable for passengers while waiting for the ship to sail not to go far from her. On the Morro Castle's last trip a stew-ard was beaten and robbed of \$18 in an open lot not far from the pier

MEXICANS CAPTURE TOWN.

Population Held as Pris oners by Soldiers.

MARPA, Tex., July 14.—The population of San Antonio, Mexico, has been held prisoner by a band of armed Mexicans since 6 o'clock last night, according to reliable advices received here to-day.

Advices to military headquarters here were that the men were Carranza sol-

SHIP BOARD AWAITS REPLY.

No Answer From Union on Wage offer.

John A. Farwell Accused of Abar

Chicago, July 14.—John A. Farwell, a Chicago real estate broker, who has been acting as head of a Red Cross division in Washington, was indicted here to-day on charges of non-support and wife desertion.

The State Attorney's office said Farmally has been accepted.

CALLS FORD PROFIT QUERY CAMOUFLAGE

Attorney for Defence Brings Evidence That Subpoena Came First.

CHANGE IN RELATIONS

"Tribune" Praised Manufacturer and Methods Before Peace Issue Arose.

Special Desputch to THE BUN

of this League of Nations, is withholding its support."

At this point Mr. Pittman cut in to say that "in his own great State" (Nevada) and throughout the nation the support of the league was progressing and increasing by leaps and taken in hand by Elliott G. Stevenson, senior counsel for the Tribune, who went directly to Mr. Ford's relations with the Tribune before and after the publication of the editorial of June 23, 1916, in which the newspaper called him an an-

Mr. Ford followed his son Edsell, who was released from the witness chair after two days' examination. Mr. Stev-York on such points."

Then Senator Fall waved his hand in the direction of Senator Wadsworth, enson was expected to be rough with the direction of Senator Wadsworth, the young man, who was the object of considerable disagreeable publicity during his father's candidacy for the Senator Pittman's 100,000, and strode considerable disagreeable publicity during his father's candidacy for the Senatorship because of the efforts which
kept him in his executive position with
the Ford Motor Company instead of in
military service. This point, however,
was only touched on by Mr. Stevenson,
who asked him whether he was connected with the National Guard or any
other willings constitution. other military organization

Examined on Contracts.

Edsel Ford's examination was almost entirely in regard to war contracts. The most telling point made by Mr. Steven-son was to fix the date of a telegram sent by Henry Ford to Carter Glass, son was to fix the date of a telegram sent by Henry Ford to Carter Glass, Secretary of the Treasury, asking for an audit of war contracts and profits with a view to turning the 55% per cent. be-longing to Mr. Ford back to the Gov-

Mr. Stevenson has insisted that thi asked for it if his son had not been subpoenaed to bring the data into court, showing on its face that Mr. Ford had profited to the extent of several millions by war orders.

As a matter of fact the subposea to Edsel Ford was issued June 20 and the request to Secretary Glass was sent

request to Secretary Glass was sent June 23. The telegram was worded so as to Indicate that such a move had been planned months before.

Mr. Ford was questioned briefly as to the early history of the Ford Motor Company. C. W. Wills, who recently retired from the concern, was mentioned as a coworker with Mr. Ford in developing the autemphile to a marketable stage. the automobile to a marketable stage. Then, referring to the "anarchist" edi-torial of June 23, 1916, Mr. Stevenson asked: "The Tribune printed some other

things about you before that, did it not?"
Mr. Ford did not remember the articles
definitely, and Mr. Stevenson introduced
three editorials, one when the Ford Motor Company announced its \$5 a day plan in which the Tribune spoke highly of the plaintiff as establishing a "new business conscience" in the way of generous treatment of the toilers. Another compared the Ford attitude to that of the upper peninsula mine owners, who, the Tribune said, had started their workers back to the mines, while Mr. Ford had enabled

"It seems so," the plaintiff admitted.
"Ism't it true that the rock on which
you split was the question of national

The answer was noncommittal.
"Isn't it true that what the Tribune called preparedness you called militar- for property valued at \$12,500.

Mr. Ford then was asked if he had instalments extending over htirty years, an interview with Edward Marshall in beginning with January, 1920. 1915. He said he had. This was the fa-mous interview from which some of Mr. Ford's anti-militarist expressions have been taken, the one most frequently quoted being the statement that the word "murderer" should be embroidered on the breast of every soldier. Mr. Ford's attorneys have constantly insisted during the trial that this quotation was taken out of its context and that it did not have the broad meaning apparent on its face. The matter was not pursued at this time, Mr. Stevenson evidently leaving it for later consideration.

Mr. Stevenson then introduced a pamphlet which Mr. Ford said Mr. De-

lavigne had prepared for general dis-

The first article announced that Mr. The first article announced that Mr. Ford would devote his life and fortune to bringing about lasting peace. He advocated teaching boys from the time they were at their mothers' knees and on through their school life the hor-

Mr. Stevenson had not been more se vere and remarked to his atterneys What! Is this going to be bath school picnic or a dog fight?"

Mr. Ford will occupy the stand probably the next three days at least.

FOOD COST INQUIRY ASKED. House Resolution Calls for Probe by Special Committee.

WASHINGTON, July 14 .- Investigation Washington, July 14.—investigation of the cost of living by a special committee of six Representatives appointed by Speaker Gillett was proposed in a resolution introduced to-day by Representative Johnson, Democrat, Mississippi. The committee would be required to recommend to Congress "the proper course to pursue in order that the high cost of food may be reduced and those who are suitty of proflecting may be who are guilty of profiteering may be punished."

DRAFT RECORDS IN PERIL. tored in Stables and Cellars Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 14 .- The War Department has taken no precautions to preserve military draft records sent to Washington from the Stales. Chairman Graham to-day informed the special House Investigating Committee on war time expenditures of the War Depart-ment, which decided to begin inquiry Wednesday of plans for taking care of

the records.

Mr. Graham told the committee that the records, affecting 25,009,000 men, were at Washington barracks here stored in cellars and stables, without any pro-vision for their protection. "Some of the records are rotting in water," declared

Raynham Unable to Hop Off.

The State Attorney's office said Farwell had been arrested in Washington as he returned from a dinner at the residence of Col. George Harvey. He denied the charge of non-support, saying his wife has picity of money and needs nothing from him.

The State Attorney's office said Farwell in the radiator of his according to a despatch to the Tagebless according to a d ST. JOHN'S, N. F., July 14.-Discovery

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"I am my employes' best friend. I must guard and guide them! I know each sincerely desires to be honest! "But I realize that each of them will always be subject to temptation and that upon some, perhaps, there will always be a secret

pressure of domestic need, financial ambition and craving for pleasure

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FINANCE MINISTERS OF GERMANY CONFER

States' Representatives Discuss Imperial Income Tax.

By the Associated Press. Whiman, July 14.—The Finance Minis-ters, Premiers and diplomatic representa-tives of the Individual States, and the Austrian Minister to Germany, Prof. Hartmann, gathered in Weimar Sunday on the invitation of Finance Minister Ergberger to discuss an imparial income. Erzberger to discuss an imperial income tax and the general financial problems of the German Government. A plan was presented under which it is intended as on as possible to transpose the taxa-

ng examination of foreign letters and elegrams would be abolished, although t would be continued on packages and

SERBS TAKE RAIL EQUIPMENT.

Lenine Offer Declined. GENEVA, July 13 (delayed).—The Russia is regenerating from day to day."

Rumanian bureau at Bern announces day."

Production of coal in the Ural distriction o that the Serbian forces which have been occupying the city of Temesvar, seventy-two miles northeast of Beigrade, are evacuating the place taking with them everything of value, including forty locomotives, 1,500 railroad cars, machinery from factories, animals and household articles. The bureau states that the population of the city is making an indignant protest against the action of the Serbians.

The Rumanian Government according the bureau, has declined another offer from Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik Premier of Russia, for the arrangement of an alliance between Rumania and

PREMIERS TO HOLD COUNCIL. lecommendations of Industrial

Commission to Be Considered. Special Despatch to Tun Bun.

OTTAWA, July 14.—In a statement issued to-day Bir Robert Borden announces the summoning of a conference with provincial Premiers to consider the recommendations of the Industrial Relations Commission which recently inquired into the feasibility of joint constraint of industry by labor and candidate. troi of industry by labor and capital.
The commission recommended a national eight hour day, collective bargaining and the establishment of industrial councils along the line of the Whit-ley plan in Britain, but as most of these where it would have been look vincial jurisdiction a conference such as presumptuous by the French. the Prime Minister has summoned is

PROFESSOR KILLS BURGLAR. thief Slain at Fraternity Honse

necessary before action can be taken,

in Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, July 14.—A masked burglar was killed by Prof. Benjamin burglar was killed by Frot. Benjamin Franklin Shappelle, head of the depart-ment of languages of the summer school of the University of Pennsylvania, in the Alpha Chi Kho Fraternity house

The burglar, who was about twenty-The burglar, who was about twentyeight years old and who has not been
identified by the police, was shot after
he threatened death to Prof. Shappelle
and others living in the fraternity
building. Receiving a bullet below the
heart, the burglar lesped from a second
story window to the yard. He died
within a few minutes.

VENIZELOS PLANS A LEAGUE.

Intends to Include the Balkans but Rumania May Not Join. Bunkly, July 14.—Premier Ventzelos of Greece has taken the initiative for the formation of a new Balkan league,

SIBERIA CONGRESS

Ally Envoys in New Movement to Support Army Against Bolsheviki.

Omsk, July 3 (delayed).--Admiral Kolchak, the head of the All Russian Government, replied to-day to the measage from Gen. Denikine, the anti-Bolshevik leauer in southern Russia, in which the southern leader pledged his ion systems of the individual States Bolshevik leader in southern Russia into a unified imperial system.

Herr Erzberger announced that in the support of the Omsk Government interest of trade and industry the existhis telegram, Admiral Kolchak said: "I am deeply touched by the patri "I am deeply touched by the patrio decision dictated by your high ideals

by his employment methods and generous wages.

The other was about the same time and much in the same line.

"After these complimentary editorials you discovered that you and the Tribuse were drifting apart, didn't you?" asked

Mr. Stevenson.

The other was about the same time discovered that you and the Tribuse were drifting apart, didn't you?" asked

Copenhagen, Sunday, July 12—
Mathias Erzberger, German Minister of Finance, has issued a statement, according to a Berlin despatch to the Tidende, that the proposed levy on property in Germany will begin at \$1,250 and will be graduated up to 10 per cent. for property valued at \$12,500.

The rate will become higher until it reaches 65 per cent. on property above \$750,000. The levy will be payable by zations, municipalities and Zemstvos.
Vassily Parunin, a Social Revolution-

statement by the Ministry of Trade and Industry. One of the great needs of the All Russian Government now is better transportation, according to Mr. Ous tiugov, Minister of Communications.
The report of the Ministry of Finance on the condition of the thirty branches of the State Bank shows their assets on

June 16 totalled 3,405,574,000 rubles. Of this sum 652,514,000 rubles were in gold

SAY THE FRENCH MEDDLED.

Italians Assail Allies for Actions

in Flume. By the Associated Precs. Vienna, July 12 (delayed).—Fiume, recently the scene of disorders between Italian and French troops, is quiet, with the Italian Provost Marshal maintaining order, according to reports received here. Few Italian soldiers and cara-binieri are seen on the streets. The French remain in their barracks and come out only to drill. Two French

come out only to drill. Two French and two Italian warships are in the The Italians, the reports add have been claiming for months that the French were meddling in their affairs, declaring that if the Italians had meddied in Alsace and Lorraine or else-where it would have been looked upon

BERLIN STRIKE NOT ENDED. New Vote Is Forced by Spartacans and Communists.

By the Associated Press. BRRIAN, July 14 .- Contrary to expectations, the transportation strike did not to accept the employers' proposal of 500 marks bonus. Spartacans and Communists attended the meetings and turned the tide against the union leaders, who wanted the men to return to work. An-

other vote is being taken to-day The strike fever among the bank clerks is vanishing, and it is probable that an arrangement will be effected whereby each bank may deal through the Industrial Council with its own employees



LORILLARD SPENCER IN LEGION OF HONOR TO WAR ON REDS Severely Wounded in Action, Is Honored by France.

WASHINGTON, July 14 .- Major Lori! lard Spencer of the 366th Infantry, organized from the Fifteenth New York. has been made a Chevaller of the Legion of Honor by the French Government for gallantry in the service of the American Expeditionary Force, accord-ing to an announcement by the War Department to-night.

leadership of the fight. If this is true—and it comes from a source in close touch with the White House—it is believed here by anti-league Senators to Major Spencer, who was a member of the New York National Guard long before the United States entered the war ing the fight up to now with no ques-tion of any one else doing it, the re-ported invitation to-day to lead it again was taken as indicating that the Ad-ministration had discarded the Nebrasfamily which has been identified the summer life at Newport for many seasons. He is an amateur athlete of seasons. He is an amateur athlete of note and, back in 1915, when he was serving with the artillery branch of the kan, but upon second thought, in view National Guard, he headed a movement to establish a motorcycle detachment. had decided to placate the late leader to October of that year Gov. Whitman to establish a motorcycle detachment. In October of that year Gov. Whitman named him as his military secretary to relationship to the President in the that offers suitable accommodation succeed Major J. Stanley Moore of Syra-Senate.

Admiral Rodman explained the

France as Major. He was severely vounded during the fighting in the Champagne district in France in September and October, 1918. As a result tice, according to a statement just isbeing friends of forty years standing.

PARIS SECRETS

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which will be considered by the commit-

Resolved, That the Foreign Relations Committee respectfully requests that the following be transmitted to it: 1. All drafts or forms presented to or considered by the Peace Commissioners relating to a League of Nations; and particularly the draft or forms prepared or presented by the Commissioners of the United States 2. All proceedings, arguments and debates, including the transcript of the stenographic reports of the Peace Commission relating to or concerning mission relating to or concerning a League of Nations or the League of Nations finally adopted; and all data hearing upon or used in con-nection with the treaty of peace with German now pending.

Admiral Blue to Be Retired.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Rear Admiral gation, who has been ill several months has been recommended for retirement by a hoard of naval medical officers. Secretary Daniels announced to-day that Admiral Blue's successor would be named as soon as President Wilson had approved the board's recommendation.



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HERALDS WILSON'S PACIFIC FLEET IS TO CALL TO HITCHCOCK TEST CANAL ON TRIP

to Assume Leadership He

Already Held in Fight.

Special Despatch to Tun Box.

high in the councils of the party are

Senator Hitchcock (Neb.), who was his

spokesman in league matters all of the

time while he was away, that they are

doing everything possible to smooth over

This fact was particularly noticeable

and the lone Republican supporter of the League of Nations in the Senate are

supporters that there should be no ap-pearance of a lack of harmony between the President and any of the league sup-

Since the President's address

whom are finding it hard to swallow the Shantung provision of the peace treaty. Article X. and other phases of the peace

pact and the league covenant, are plainly

more demoralized.

The uncertaintly now about who will lead the Senate fight for the covenant has added to this distress. It was re-

ported to-day that the President during his telephone conversation with Senator Hitchcock had invited him to assume

be direct confirmation from the White House of the split between Hitchcock and the Fresident. As Senator Hitchcock has been kad-

ITALY FREES HALF OF ARMY.

worried over the difficulties which

Administration Tries to Prove Voyage to West Coast Will Be Made Virtually Under Harmony in Democratic Ranks on League. War Conditions.

RIFT WORRIES LEADERS WILSON MAY MEET SHIPS

President Invites Nebraskan Daniels to Plan Strategic Improvements and Will Go

to Hawaii.

Special Desputch to Tax Stx. WASHINGTON, July 14 .- Naval problems of prime military importance are involved in the forthcoming trip of the have arisen between the President and the West coast. The fleet is to be sent through the Panama Canal virtually under war conditions so that the Navy Department may know by practical experience how long it takes to get the fleet through and which are the best to-day when publicity was given to the fact that the President had called Sen-pairs, etc. It is estimated now that

ator Hitchcock on the telephane in re-gard to appearing before the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate and defending his league plan. The Presi-dent is seemingly anxious to do this, de-Atlantic and Pacific can be brought to-gether in case of emergency in eight days. defending his league plan. The Presi-dent is seemingly anxious to do this, de-spite the decision of the Republicans to be content with Secretary of State Lans-ing upon his return from Paris.

Arrival of the fleet on the West coast will give far greater strategic importance to the Pacific Coast than has heretofore been the case and naval stations, dockbe content with Secretary of State Lansing upon his return from Paris.

Ordinarily, the President could have called up Senator Hitchcock or any other Senator a score of times in a day without any one learning of it. However, this particular talk over the 'phone was heralded to the world to-day through a Washington writer who has been used before to get the Administration's views before the public, and the significance of this fact did not escape Republican opponents of the league scheme.

As a matter of fact, the Democrats and the lone Republican supporter of the case and naval stations, docking facilities, &c., are soon to be built up as a consequence of the new policy.

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the two fleets of equal strength on the

Panama Canal after a six days run.

Trip Will Be Made Slowly.

walking on very thin ice. The rift in their ranks, becoming known, has caused them no little distress. With a number of Democratic Senators inclin-The ships will proceed at a cculsing ing more and more to one or another of the proposed reservations by the Sen-ate, it is regarded as essential by league order to save fuel and partly because there will be many green bluejackets aboard the ships. Then there will come the test of great strategic importance to ean be put through the Canal." The ascertain "how expeditiously Canal will be tested also as a base of supplies, particularly with respect to re-fueling facilities, oil docks, coal docks, Thursday last, which admittedly failed to explain or defend the league covenant. repair facilities, &c. the anti-league Senators have noticed plainly a solidifying and crystallization of opinion adverse to the league, while the proponents of the league, many of

Upon arrival at San Diego the fleet will await the arrival of Secretary Daniels, who desires to look over the coaling station, the aviation station and other naval establishments in that vicin-ity. It is possible that President Wilson, also will be there to make the cruise to San Francisco aboard the New Mexico, Admiral Rodman's flagship. Secretary Danlei's inspection will be for the purpose of examining facilities

n the Pacific coast with a view to findng out where they need strengthening. San Francisco plans to give the flee a cordial welcome. Shore liberty will be given to the men there and at other ports of call and facilities will be ex-tended to the public to see the ships. At the same time an energetic recruiting campaign is to be conducted and men will be able to go directly aboard the

ships and enlist.

Daniels to Visit Pearl Harbor. Secretary Daniels, on board one of the dreadnoughts, will proceed to Hawaii to see the completed dry dock at Pearl about three weeks. The fleet will then assemble at the Bremerton Navy Yard. and urge him to occupy again his old at Puget Sound, which is the only place

Admiral Rodman explained that the feet will be complete and include all types of ships, dreadnoughts, cruisers, destroyers, submarines, supply ships, fuel ships, hospital ships and mine layers. As much care will be given 2,000,000 Still in Service.

Correspondence of the Associated Press

Rome, June 18.—Almost 2,200,000 and the keen rivalry between the formula to the given to the parties.

Vassily Parunin, a Social Revolutionist and a prominent Zemstvo worker,
in replying to a speech by the Prime
Minister, said:

"Every day of the Governments work the French Croix de Guerre was awarded the unit and Major Spencer's decoration now follows.

"Every day of the Governments work in the territory liberated from the Bolsheviki brings important results. Russia is regenerating from day to day."

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Industry. One of the great needs of the standard and increasing steadily, according to a statement just isseed by the Government through the Stefani Agency.

Of this number there were 225 general officers, 75,009 officers of the staff and line and 1,700,000 enlisted men. The classes between 30 and 40 years of age and men of the remaining classes who were released for special reasons.

The remaining effectives of the Italian army in service approximate 2,000,000.

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